BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA

Order Instituting Rulemaking on the Commission's Own Motion to Establish Consumer Rights and Consumer Protection Rules Applicable to All Telecommunications Utilities.

Rulemaking 00-02-004 (Filed February 3, 2000)

ASSIGNED COMMISSIONER'S RULING REVISING SCHEDULE

On July 7, 2005, the Assigned Commissioner issued a Ruling establishing a revised schedule for opening and reply testimony, formal hearings, briefs, and a proposed decision in this proceeding. As that ruling indicated, the new schedule was intended to accommodate a request by The Utility Reform Network (TURN) for a revision to the earlier schedule due to conflicts with TURN's expert witness.

It was subsequently pointed out, however, that the hearing dates set in the July 7 revised schedule produced new conflicts for other participants. After further consultation with the parties, including TURN, it has been determined that the revised hearing dates set forth below will provide a more favorable schedule.

Therefore, **IT IS RULED** that:

1. The schedule for this proceeding is revised. The new schedule will be:

August 5, 2005 Opening Testimony

September 9, 2005 Reply Testimony

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September 28-30, 2005 Formal Hearings begin at 9:00 a.m. in the

Commission Courtroom, State Office

Building, 505 Van Ness Avenue,

San Francisco

October 24, 2005 Opening Briefs

November 7, 2005 Reply Briefs

November, 2005 Proposed Decision

December 15, 2005 Commission meeting to consider Proposed

Decision

2. Parties wishing to present final oral argument before the Commission must file and serve written requests no later than the close of business on Friday, September 30, 2005.

Dated July 13, 2005, at San Francisco, California.

/s/ SUSAN P. KENNEDY
Susan P. Kennedy
Assigned Commissioner

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I certify that I have by mail this day served a true copy of the original attached Assigned Commissioner's Ruling Revising Schedule on all parties of record in this proceeding or their attorneys of record.

Dated July 13, 2005, at San Francisco, California.

/s/ ELIZABETH LEWIS
Elizabeth Lewis

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